Finance & Administration Division Newsletter

September 2024

Thank you for your Service



"Shout out"



2 years:

Will Cornine-Facilities Services
Aaron Dilmore-Facilities Services
Carolyn Gering-Children's Center
Veronica Harper-Children's Center
Chris Hohnstrater-Facilities Services
Nic Johnson-Facilities Services
Jen Keefer-Finance
Jillian Landwehr-Children's Center
Damon Mitchell-Facilities Services
Megan Stigall-Finance
Steph Turco-Facilities Services
Rich Wilson-Facilities Services
5 years:

Tony Capone-Facilities Services
Darnell Gayle-Facilities Services
Monica Peeler-Finance
Rachael Sysak-Children's Center
David Webster-Facilities Services
10 years:

Brent Huffman-Facilities Services **15 years:**

Nolan Keale-Facilities Services **20 years:**

Judy Alcorta-Facilities Services Steve Epperson-Facilities Services Lane Zak-Facilities Services

Heather Stapish celebrating 25 years at CC! Heather was originally hired August 1999 as an Information Assistant in Advancement Services, which was later reclassified to Database Records Specialist. In March 2000 she was promoted to Gift Records Specialist. In August 2001, she was hired as the Student Accounts Specialist under Finance & Administration and was promoted to Payroll/Accounts Payable Assistant in 2005. Her latest promotion and current position of Payroll Manager began October 2017.



COLORADO COLLEGE









News and Announcement

One of the major changes to the Finance & Administration division this quarter involved saying goodbye to our Students Accounts team. Our three colleagues, Amy Ingalsbe Monica Peeler and Megan Stigall, have become part of the new Student Financial Services team within Enrollment. Student Financial Services will be a one-stop place for bills and loans, payments and financial aid and will create a team of experts that know the ins and outs of financial aid and paying for college. While we are sad to lose them, we are excited about what they will achieve within their new team, and we know that we will continue to work closely with them all to uphold the mission and priorities of Colorado College. They aren't changing location, so continue dropping off deposits and stopping by for those all-important water cooler conversations.



Welcome Dolores Hernandez to the Children's Center and Colorado college



We are entering the 2024-25 academic year and celebrating 150 Years of Colorado College!

A message from our Interim President, Manya Whitaker KUDOS TO FACILITIES SERVICES



"A big shoutout goes to ALL the Facilities staff for their hard work this summer. We faced a few challenges but came together and completed our "routine summer work" while also tackling many projects. We cannot single out one person or group within Facilities because everyone contributed to our success."

Thank you for your hard work!



REQUIRED TRAINING

Environmental Health and Safety and Human Resources released a training on the CC Emergency Management Plan (CCEMP) on September 2 through Bridge. Please log into the Bridge system on the Single Sign-In page and complete the module within two months. It should only take about 30 minutes to complete and is a required training identified by OSHA for places of business.

Feel free to reach out to EHS at X6678 or EHS@colroadocollege.edu if you have any questions.



The Children's Center is going Digital!

To help reduce waste and increase sustainability, the Children's Center is going digital and will be using the Engagement Functionality of the Pro-care childcare management software. Parents will now sign their children "in and out", as well as send and receive messages from teachers throughout the day all using the app. The daily paper trail in the infant classrooms is a thing of the past!

In addition, parents now have the option of paying their tuition online with a credit card for the first time in the history of the Children's Center!

Did you Know? Exciting News!

Learning Opportunity

April Scriven, Manager of Mail Services who is the Finance Division representative on the Antiracism Commitment Committee, was fortunate to attend the National Conference on Race and Ethnicity along with other CC networkers. There were 5500 people at this conference, and hundreds of sessions to choose from.

She stated, "I found this experience personally rewarding and a tremendous growth opportunity. I attended a variety of sessions, including a live podcast about the history of Asian American filmmaking and I also spent a day working on a kalo farm learning about plants important to the Hawaiian culture."

"My personal growth will influence the people I interact with daily. I encourage others to stretch outside their comfort zone and embrace opportunities to be lifelong learners."

This is a yearly conference; in May 2025 it will take place in New York City. Click <u>here</u> to learn more.